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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated August 4, 2005, issued in the above-identified application. The time for response extends until November 4, 2005.